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PLAGUE SPREADS AT OYSTER BAY

Citizens Say That Politics Holds Up Plans to Get Hospital.

(By Telegram to The Tribune.)

Oyster Bay, L. I., July 31.—Danger of a widespread epidemic of infantile paralysis and other contagious diseases threatens Oyster Bay, as a result of the failure of the authorities to provide an isolation hospital, where the new cases, which continue to appear, may be taken. The only hospital in the township is located in Glen Cove, which is filled to capacity, and recent cases of the disease cannot be removed. At the meeting of the town board last night, indignant citizens severely rebuked the members of the governing board. According to Dr. P. L. Carr, city politician in the town board is preventing speedy action.

"They talk about Tammany Hall," declared Dr. Carr. "Why, Tammany are little white angels compared to the politicians of Oyster Bay. Tammany could come here and learn

Health Officer William J. Burns, who has been trying to secure a building which can be used as a hospital, but without success, asserted that unless such a building was speedily found there was grave danger of the epidemic getting beyond control. Supervisor James Cooks and the other members of the town board refused to assume any responsibility, asserting that, "as it is a health matter, everything was up to the Health Officer."

This angered the citizens, many of whom angrily demanded that the town board and the Health Officer cooperate for the good of the community, instead of letting their political differences interfere with the protection of the township.

PLAGUE CANCELS HIKE OF WEST POINT CADETS

Enlisted Men Ordered to Remain Within Post.

Highland Falls, N. Y., July 31.—Owing to the prevalence of infantile paralysis, strict quarantine regulations have been established on the Military Academy Reservation. After it was ascertained that no enlisted man was permitted to leave or enter the post. Many of the enlisted men live in Highland Falls and have families. Their clothing, bedding and other personal effects are being removed to West Point, and they will be quarantined in tents. Certain restrictions are placed on civilian employees.

It is all probability the annual three month hike of the corps of cadets, which was to begin next Monday, will be cancelled and there will be no camp season.

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Spread Checked in Richmond—United States Asked to Send Five More Surgeons.

Day by day the possibility is growing stronger that the long-sought cure for infantile paralysis has been found. Announcement was made yesterday by a prominent physician, who has been in close attendance on paralysis patients at Willard Parker Hospital, that favorable results are being obtained from the blood-serum treatment begun at that institution and at the Kingston Avenue Hospital, Brooklyn, several weeks ago.

It consists of intraspinal injections of a fluid extracted from the blood of recovered patients. Thirty children have been treated at Willard Parker Hospital, according to the staff physician. So marked has the rapid improvement in their condition been that it is hoped the treatment can be extended to every paralysis patient in the hospital. As yet this has been impossible because the medical authorities have been unable to secure the required amount of serum, comparatively few victims of the epidemic having fully recovered.

Specialists who have watched the effects of the serum believe that its injection when symptoms of the disease first appear would prevent paralysis.

Cases Reported Yesterday.

One hundred and thirty-two new plague cases were found during the twenty-four hours ended at 10 o'clock yesterday morning, a decrease of thirteen from Sunday's figure. Thirty-five deaths were reported during the same time, an increase of twenty-two above Sunday.

Manhattan's report was not reassuring to Health Department officials. Forty-four cases were found in the borough, not many less than Brooklyn's fifty-nine. This is the nearest approach by the number of cases in any borough to a daily figure for Brooklyn. Richmond reported none, the first time since early in July that any one of the five boroughs have had no new cases. Queens had twenty-one and The Bronx eight.

Deputy Health Commissioner Billings, in charge of the fight against the epidemic in Brooklyn, gave further figures yesterday tending to show that the disease is dying out in districts first infected.

Brooklyn Conditions Better.

"The epidemic started in the Bay Ridge section," he said. "It spread up the waterfront part of the Prospect district and then over the Eastern District into Germantown and Brownsville. To-day new cases in Bay Ridge number only eight, while the Prospect district has but six and the Eastern District eleven."

Senior Surgeon Banks, of the United States Public Health Service, telegraphed to Washington yesterday a request for five additional surgeons to examine children leaving New York for points outside the state. Twenty-two

INFANTILE PARALYSIS IN ALL BOROUGHES

Cases reported yesterday:

Brooklyn	59
Manhattan	44
Queens	21
The Bronx	8
Richmond	—

Total 132

Cases reported Sunday 145

Deaths reported yesterday:

Brooklyn	20
Manhattan	9
Queens	5
The Bronx	1
Richmond	—

Total 35

Deaths reported Sunday 13

Total cases:

Brooklyn	2,585
Manhattan	690
Queens	352
Richmond	291
The Bronx	136

Total deaths 3,964

Total deaths 841

surgeons already have been detailed to this work.

Dr. Banks declared that quarantine regulations against New York children adopted by out-of-town health authorities were now being made more reasonable. Many places, however, still refuse to accept the Federal cards and Health Department certificates. Hereafter such places will not be notified when to expect children from New York.

The Health Department in a bulletin concerning requirements for health certificates, says: "The department does not require certificates of anyone entering or leaving the city. It is issuing certificates only as a convenience and aid to persons leaving."

State's Total Grows.

Fifty-three paralysis cases, the largest number for any day since the outbreak of the epidemic, were reported yesterday to the State Health Department from points outside the city. The total has amounted to 436, with forty-two deaths. Twenty-eight cases were reported to the New Jersey Board of Health, making a total of 322. The Massachusetts Board of Health announced that 101 cases had been found in the Bay State since the first of July.

Following a conference between health officials and the leading physicians of Bayonne yesterday, Henry Wilson, director of public safety, announced that until the paralysis epidemic ends children under sixteen will be barred from that city.

The following list of addresses, where cases of infantile paralysis have been found recently, was made public yesterday by the Health Department: MANHATTAN.

228 Audubon Avenue, 480 Central Park West, 119 Christopher Street, 985 Columbus Avenue, 190 and 243 Elizabeth Street, 716 Fifth Street, 46 and 415 Fort Washington Avenue, 324 Grand Street, 113 Henry Street, 32 and 88 Lewis Street, 82, 105 and 139 Monroe Street, 180 Orchard Street, 22 Rutgers Place, 236 Sixth Street, 98 Thompson Street, 660 Water Street, 136 Waverly Place, 1123 First Avenue, 228 Second Avenue, 467 Fourth Avenue, 837 Seventh Avenue.

Also 532 East Eighteenth Street, 323 East Twenty-fourth Street, 299 East Thirty-second Street, 175 East Sixty-eighth Street, 247 East Seventy-eighth Street, 103 East Ninety-seventh Street, 423 West Sixteenth Street, 232 West Twenty-eighth Street, 219 West Sixty-first Street, 166 West Eighty-seventh Street, 102 West 106th Street, 101 West 108th Street, 25 West 114th

Street, 282 West 124th Street, 117 West 142d Street, 603 West 178th Street and 610 West 191st Street.

The Bronx.

2106 Clinton Avenue, 3648 Darns Avenue, 216 East 163d Street, 254 East 162d Street, 1084 Forest Avenue, 1665 Mayflower Avenue, 292 St. Ann's Avenue and 1098 Union Avenue.

Brooklyn.

154 Albany Avenue, 2310 Avenue L, 1740 Bath Avenue, 198 Bay Twenty-third Street, 2284 Bedford Avenue, 53 Bremen Street, 34 Douglass Street, 1485 East 8th Street, 1236 and 2941 East Third Street, East Eighty-third Street and Smith Lane, 334 Flushing Avenue (two cases), 81 Gates Avenue, 94 Hall Street, 2769 and 2773 Haring Street, 284 Hart Street, 411 Hinsdale Street, 40 Johnson Avenue, 462 Lexington Avenue, 59 and North Eighth Street, 40 Nostrand Avenue, 20th Street, 355 Smith Street, 45 Morrell Street, 14 and 994 Myrtle Avenue, 76-North Portland Avenue, 134 North Fourth Street, 233 North Eleventh Street, 40 Nostrand Avenue.

Also 1909 and 2127 Pacific Street, 38 Porter Avenue, 50 Prince Street, 368 Rodney Street, 87a Sackman Street, 823 St. John's Place, 1359 St. Mark's Avenue, 125 Saint Street, 355 Smith Street, 1841 Sterling Place, 131 Stockholm Street, 28 Sumner Avenue, 321 Troutman Street, 315 Troy Avenue, 221 Union Avenue, 260 Watkins Street, 423 Sutphin Road, Jamaica, 168 Clifton Street, Laurel Hill; Old Homestead Landing Road, Little Neck; 83 Willam Street, 209 Sixth Avenue, 68 Seventh Street, 184 Eighth Street and 218½ Fifteenth Avenue, Long Island City; 106 Ziegler Avenue, Maspeth; 1230 Cortland Avenue, Ozone Park; Jamaica Avenue and Willow Street, Richmond Hill; 1715 Green Avenue, 1911 Linden Street and 2334 Putnam Avenue, Ridgewood; Boyd Avenue and Shoe and Leather Street, 43 Shipley Street, Woodhaven; 4267 Atlantic Avenue, Woodhaven Junction.

Queens.

117 Bay Third Street, 120 Kingsland Avenue and 68 Wickley Avenue, Elmhurst; 174 Francis Avenue, Flushing; 423 Sutphin Road, Jamaica; 168 Clifton Street, Laurel Hill; Old Homestead Landing Road, Little Neck; 83 Willam Street, 209 Sixth Avenue, 68 Seventh Street, 184 Eighth Street and 218½ Fifteenth Avenue, Long Island City; 106 Ziegler Avenue, Maspeth; 1230 Cortland Avenue, Ozone Park; Jamaica Avenue and Willow Street, Richmond Hill; 1715 Green Avenue, 1911 Linden Street and 2334 Putnam Avenue, Ridgewood; Boyd Avenue and Shoe and Leather Street, 43 Shipley Street, Woodhaven; 4267 Atlantic Avenue, Woodhaven Junction.

Do Not Use Camphor, Is Paralysis Warning

Physicians and settlement workers of the East Side, organized as Advisory Committee to Health District No. 1 of the Department of Health, adopted resolutions yesterday which will be called to the attention of parents in the neighborhood in the hope of allaying fears inspired by infantile paralysis.

The organization decided that children are better off outdoors than confined in the house so long as they are kept away from crowds. Panicky flight is condemned and it is recommended that if children are taken out of the city, the family go to some place other than a large hotel, where many children would probably be met.

Parents are advised to avoid the use of camphor "because it not only does not prevent the disease, but does harm." Frequent cleansing of the teeth and mouth with a solution of salt or boracic acid is recommended and particular emphasis is laid on the care of the teeth. Screens and mosquito netting are advised to keep out insects.

The resolutions are signed by Dr. S. Ellsberg, chairman of the executive committee.

Jersey Death Rate Drops.

Trenton, N. J., July 31.—Figures given out to-day by the State Department of Health show that for June 8,010 deaths were recorded as occurring in New Jersey, a decrease of 413 from the previous month. Infantile paralysis cases reported during July show a considerable increase. A separate tabulation of death from the disease will be kept.

CARRANZA BARS FOREIGN CAPITAL

Washington Regards Order as Contrary to Law.

Washington, July 31.—Foreign shareholders in Mexican companies, including the great oil corporations of the Gulf coast, are required to give up their shares or their present citizenships, by a decree just issued by General Carranza.

This decree had long been under consideration, but its promulgation had been delayed by vigorous protests from European governments, supported by the State Department, on the ground that it constituted an unwarranted and unlawful transgression of the property rights of foreigners in Mexico.

Another official communication issued early this morning says:

"The raid appears to have been carried out by a considerable number of airships. The raiders seem to have spent some time cruising over the counties of Lincolnshire, Norfolk, Suffolk, Cambridge, Essex, Kent and Huntingdon."

"Bombs were dropped somewhat indiscriminately over localities possessing no military importance. Our anti-aircraft guns came into action, it is believed, with good effect. Full details of the raid are not yet at hand."

(From The Tribune Bureau.)

Washington, July 31.—General Carranza's scheme to force foreign investors out of Mexico through forcing them to give up their stock in any Mexican corporation or renounce their foreign citizenship is considered here the most flagrant violation of international law he has yet attempted.

Holders of hundreds of millions of dollars worth of securities will be affected if the decree is permitted to stand. Among the corporations are the big east coast oil companies, railroad companies and vast mining interests. What makes the law particularly oppressive, though this does not appear on the face of the decree, is that under laws already passed the sellers must take Carranza currency for securities that are worth real money. The most stringent laws have not been able to bring Carranza's fiat paper to a value of over a few cents on the dollar. It fluctuates violently, but ten cents would be a high average.

The Carranza plan to force foreigners out of Mexico and out of Mexican business has long been known, but it was not believed that he would dare try anything so drastic. His motto of "Mexico for the Mexicans" has frankly involved confiscation in its logical working out, since Mexicans have not the money—except his fiat stuff—to buy out the great investments of foreign capital which were encouraged under the Diaz Regime.

State Department officials would give no hint to-night as to what action, if any, would be taken to protect American interests. No secret is made at the foreign legations and embassies of the intention of their governments to see that their own subjects do not suffer, and to take whatever means to that end are necessary, as soon as their hands are free in Europe.

MANY CUPS FOR BERGEN FAIR

Athletic Programme Completed for County Event.

Hackensack, N. J., July 31.—The Bergen County Fair Association has completed arrangements for the athletic meet to be held at the Fair Grounds, Hoboken, September 1. The event will

be under the management of J. J. Hugh of New York.

The prizes will be handsome silver loving cups to first, second and third in each event. In the medley relay race four loving cups will be awarded to the team which comes in first and four to the team which comes in second.

PENNSYLVANIA ROAD SENDS GUARDS' PAY

Checks Going to Families of Employees at the Border.

The Pennsylvania Railroad yesterday began the distribution of funds for the relief of families of employees who are at the border with the National Guard. Checks will be sent out this week covering the month of July and thereafter payments will be made twice a month. The board of directors set aside \$100,000 for the purpose.

About 300 of the Pennsylvania road's employees in the National Guard have dependents who will benefit by this fund. The railroad is also paying the dues and assessments of every member of the Volunteer Relief Fund who is with the army.

Some of those whose families are being paid during their absence were not members of the National Guard, but enlisted after the call for troops came. Others had been in the employ of the railroad but a short time when the Guard was sent to the frontier. One man had worked for the road only three days and several for less than a month.

BLAMES SKYSCRAPERS FOR BLAST'S EFFECTS

Major Hartmann Says Great Air Wave Struck Buildings.

Major Carl F. Hartmann, U. S. A., stationed on Governor's Island, believes the direct cause of Sunday morning's explosion was the intense heat of a preliminary fire setting off T-N-T fuses stored in ammunition charged box cars. He formed his opinion after a personal investigation on Black Tom Peninsula yesterday, and from his observation of the explosion from his bedroom window. "The explosion itself was primarily due to the fire in the terminal," declared Major Hartmann yesterday afternoon. "The Manhattan skyscrapers are responsible in a great degree for the freakish effect on the explosion in downtown New York."

"A great air wave, caused by the explosion on Black Tom, rushed toward Manhattan. It swept against the tall buildings on the point of the island, striking here and there a glancing blow, which accounts for the fact that so many windows were shattered on lower floors. These large windows offered less resistance than the smaller ones."

A SHREWD GUESS.

According to "Les Annales," a poem writes home as follows: "You ask me if I need socks. I am still wearing the pair you sent me last July. I have not seen them since, but I presume they are in bad shape."

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Britain Confiscates Coffee.
London, July 31.—Holding coffee to be a foodstuff, Sir Samuel Thomas Evans, president of the Prize Court, condemned to-day 3,000 bags of coffee shipped from America to Gothenburg on the Swedish steamers Indane and Sydland. The court decided that the cargoes were in reality intended for Germany.

A LIGHTNING FLASH.

A flash of lightning lights up the ground for one-millionth of a second, yet it seems to us to last ever so much longer. What happens is that the impression remains in the retina of the eye for about one-eighth of a second, or 124,000 times longer than the flash lasts.



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